

State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Wess Sorenson, Mine Manager Canyon Fuel Company, LLC HC 35 Box 380 Helper, Utah 84526

Subject: Skyline Mine, C/007/0005, Winter Quarters Slope Construction Surface Blasting Plan,

Task ID #3883

Dear Mr. Sorenson:

The Division received the Winter Quarters Slope Construction Surface Blasting Plan on August 1, 2011. The submitted plan has been reviewed pursuant to R645-301-524, Blasting and Explosives.

The submitted blast design will receive final approval pending receipt of a signed copy of the anticipated blast design prepared by the authorized certified surface blaster, Mr. Iver John Iverson.

If you have any questions, please call Pete Hess at (435) 613-3731 or me at (801)538-5325.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock Coal Program Manager

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cc: Price Field Office

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